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SUBJ: LORENZ CASE

1. APRIL 9 LETTER EN ROUTE TO OEC (ATTENTION: SHYBURGH)
FROM WEELEN MACLEAN, COMPUTER LEASING AND SALES S.A.,
NYON, SWITZERLAND, EXPLAINING LEASING AND BUYING AGREEMENT
CLS HAD INADVERTENTLY ENTERED INTO WITH LORENZ. MCLEAN
PHONED CONGEN ON APRIL 8 TO VERIFY RUMOR HE HAD HEARD
THAT LORENZ WAS ON DENIAL LIST.

2. DEAL INVOLVED PURCHASE BY CLS OF TWO 360/40 UNITS
WITH PERIPHERALS OWNED BY LORENZ AND LEASING HIM
360/50 WITH PERIPHERALS. MACLEAN IMMEDIATELY INFORMED
LORENZ THAT DEAL WAS OFF UNLESS OEC APPROVES.

3. MACLEAN EXPRESSED EXTREME ANNOYANCE WITH LORENZ
FOR LEADING HIM INTO COSTLY, TIME-CONSUMING PRE-
PARATIONS THAT LORENZ KNEW WERE FUTILE AND POTENTIALLY
EMBARRASSING TO CLS. MCLEAN EMPHASIZED THAT IT
WAS ONLY COINCIDENTAL THAT HE EVEN LEARNED OF DENIAL
ORDER BEFORE COMPANY MACHINERY WAS IN GEAR TO ARRANGE
FOR SHIPMENT FROM THE U.S. AND TO APPLY FOR EXPORT
LICENSE.

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4. WE HAVE NO INDICATION WHETHER LORENZ WILL ASK FOR
OEC WAIVER AT THIS POINT AFTER APPARENTLY THINKING
DEAL MIGHT SHI THROUGH AS LONG AS CLS WAS IGNORANT
OF DENIAL STATUS. WE DOUBT, HOWEVER, THAT HE WILL
BE INTERESTED IN SELLING HIS 360/40 EQUIPMENT SEPA-
RATELY WITHOUT ASSURED REPLACEMENT. RUCHTI

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